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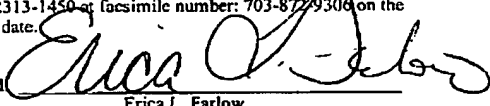
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:)
Abe) Examiner: Richard Woo
Serial No.: 10/652,640) Group Art Unit: 3639
Filed: 08/28/2003) Docket No. ABE1P003
For: A METHOD FOR SIMULATING) Date: May 3, 2005
AN OPTIMIZED SUPPLIER)
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Examiner:

As a follow up to un-entered Amendment B, which was in response to an Office Action mailed 01/26/05, please enter the following amendments in the above application:

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